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Title: BONDED STRUCTURE USING REACTED BOROSILICATE MIXTURE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

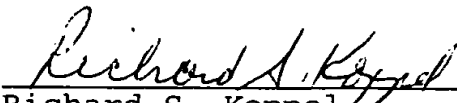
Sir:

Kindly amend the paragraph at page 1, lines 2-5 of the above application to read as follows:

This application is related to U.S. patent application Serial Nos. 09/316,239 and 09/645,383, filed respectively on May 21, 1999 and August 28, 2000 by the present inventor, which disclose an invention claimed in the present application. Priority based upon said application Serial Nos. 09/316,239 and 09/645,383 is claimed under 35U.S.C.120.

A marked up version of this paragraph showing the changes made is appended.

Respectfully submitted,

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